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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Bernhard Lettmann et al.

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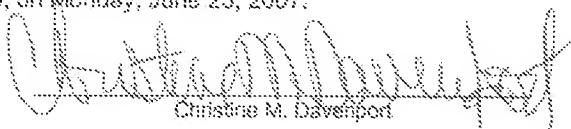
For: AQUEOUS COATING MATERIAL
AND MODULAR SYSTEM FOR
PRODUCING SAME

Group Art Unit: 1711

Examiner: Olga Asinovsky

Confirmation No.: 2515

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This is in response to the Supplemental Examiner's Answer of April 24, 2007, wherein the rejection of pending claims 3, 18-19, 21-22, 25-26 and 28 was maintained. Applicants respectfully request that prosecution on the merits be reopened. Please withdraw the appeal of this application. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and/or remarks.

No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 23-3425 any fees necessary for entry of this amendment and/or extension of time.

Please refer to the claims and remarks as set forth below.

